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ROLLING METHOD AND ROLLING APPARATUS FOR FLAT-

ROLLED METAL MATERIALS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants respectfully petition for a three (3) month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action mailed on October 25, 2006 for which a three (3) month response period expiring on January 25, 2007 was set. The extended period expires effectively on April 25, 2007.

Please charge the extension fee of One Thousand Twenty Dollars (\$1,020.00) for a three (3) month extension of time to Deposit Account 11-0600. If any additional fee is required, please charge Deposit Account 11-0600. A copy of this Petition is enclosed for 05/02/2007 GFREY1 deposit account charging purposes.

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